

**DOCKET SECTION**

BEFORE THE  
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION  
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Postal Rate and Fee Changes, 1997

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**NEWSPAPER ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA  
INTERROGATORIES TO  
UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE WITNESS  
MICHAEL R. MCGRANE (NAA/USPS-ST44-23-25)  
November 14, 1997**

The Newspaper Association of America hereby submits the attached interrogatories to United States Postal Service witness Michael R. McGrane (USPS-ST-44) and respectfully requests a timely and full response under oath.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have this date served the instant document on all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.

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NAA/USPS-ST44-1: 23. Please refer to your response to NAA/USPS-ST44-6.

Please reconcile the volumes provided in this response with the volumes provided in LR H-145 (the Billing Determinants) for the each of these categories of mail.

NAA/USPS-ST44-24. Please refer to your response to NAA/USPS-ST44-9. For each of the cost pools in Table 1 of Exhibit 44A, please provide a breakdown of the "direct tally IOCS" costs, the costs associated with "mixed mail" tallies, and the "not-handling-mail" costs. Please provide these costs separately for Standard A Regular ECR letters and non-letters.

NAA/USPS-ST44-25. Please refer to your response to NAA/USPS-ST44-3. Consider a mailing of ECR Basic mail that is prepared in walk-sequence, rather than line of travel sequence. Please list all possible endorsements for pieces of such a mailing, and state whether the possible endorsements differ between letters and nonletters.